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BLM seeks comment on commercial recreation permit applications in Grand County

KREMMLING, Colo. – The Bureau of Land Management's Kremmling Field Office is seeking public comment on five commercial special recreation permit applications for guiding services and special events.

Each year, the BLM issues commercial permits for businesses to provide specific services or events to the public on BLM lands. The permits ensure a fair return to the public for commercial use of public lands.

To help with its evaluation of these permit applications, the BLM is seeking information that the public feels would be useful to the agency as it considers the applications.

- Specialty Sport Ventures LLC, dba Gore Creek Flyfisherman, has applied for a one-year permit renewal for float and wade fishing activities on the Upper Colorado River.
- Atmore Outfitters has applied for a big game hunting multi-year permit renewal with modification. The company proposes to add overnight camping northeast of Kremmling near Troublesome Creek.
- American Whitewater has applied for a one-time event permit for the Gore Canyon Race Aug. 27-28 between the Confluence of the Blue and Colorado Rivers and the Pumphouse Recreation Site. Land-based festival activities will take place on private land at Rancho del Rio this year.
- The America Cup has applied for a one-time event permit for the FIPS-Mouche Fly Fishing World Championship Sept. 14-16. The event is mostly on private land around Vail, but does include small isolated parcels of BLM land near Spring Creek Road.
- The Eagle Valley Trout Unlimited has applied for a permit for a fundraiser fishing tournament Sept. 25 between Pumphouse and State Bridge. The permit would be managed as a multi-year permit for an annual fishing event.

To provide comment on the applications, contact Maribeth Pecotte at the Kremmling Field Office, mpecotte@blm.gov or (970) 724-3000. Comments need to be received by June 27, 2016.

Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

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